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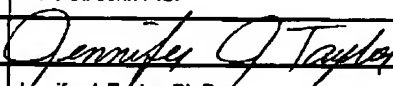
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	First Named Inventor	Luan C. Tran
	Art Unit	2812
	Examiner Name	Jennifer M. Kennedy
	Attorney Docket Number	MI22-2358
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<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> <b>For FY 2005</b>		Application Number	10/624,627
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		First Named Inventor	Luan C. Tran
		Examiner Name	Jennifer M. Kennedy
		Art Unit	2812
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Attorney Docket No.	MI22-2358
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

**Total Claims** - 20 or HP =          x          =         

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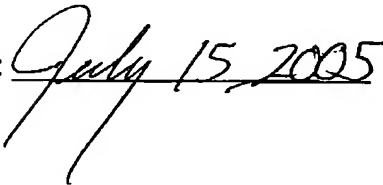
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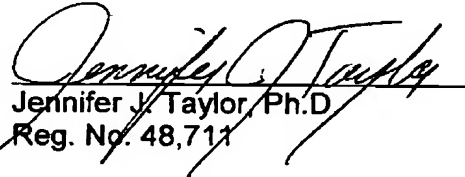
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